

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1,2,4-7,10,11,14,15, and 17-20 (cancelled)

Claim 8 (previously presented): A pivoting motor mount for mounting on a support an electric motor having a shaft that drives an endless belt, the motor mount comprising:

- a) a pivoting platform adapted for attaching the motor thereto;
- b) a base for mounting on the support;
- c) pivotal connecting means between the base and the platform for pivoting the platform about an axis parallel to the shaft: and
- d) leaf spring means interposed between the platform and the base away from the pivotal connecting means for applying spring bias therebetween to springably resist the pull of the belt on the motor, thereby applying tension to the belt.

Claim 13(previously presented): The motor mount according to claim 8 in which the leaf spring means has a first end attached to the base and a second end slidingly engaging the platform.